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Advisory Announcement

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AREA D (YAKUTAT) SCALLOP FISHERY CLOSURE

The 2020/2021 commercial fishery weathervane scallop fishery for Area D (Yakutat) will close at 12:00 p.m. on September 22, 2020. The guideline harvest level (GHL) of 145,000 lbs of shucked meat will be taken by the closure date and time.

The Emergency Order corresponding with this announcement is EO 1M2520.

Under Alaska's Health Mandates 10, 17, and 18, commercial fishing is an Essential Business and is part of Alaska's Essential Services and Critical Infrastructure. Commercial fishermen should ensure that all travel and other activities in support of commercial fishing operations follow protocols in Alaska COVID-19 Health Mandates. COVID-19 Health Mandates may be found here: https://gov.alaska.gov/home/covid19-healthmandates/.

Advisory announcement web site: http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=cfnews.main.

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